

New Orleans- Southeast - Regional Labor Market Area 1 Long Term Projections for All Occupations 2016 to 2026 (in order by occupational code)																			
RLMA 1 : Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard, St. Charles, St. James, St. John the Baptist, & St. Tammany																			
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*****	5	17-2071	Electrical Engineers	570	670	50	\$98,879	\$66,483	\$139,467	<1%	5%	8%	6%	54%	21%	5%	None	Occupation-specific training	Lic. Req.
*****	5	19-2041	Environmental Scientists and Specialists, Including Health	360	400	40	\$76,930	\$31,976	\$126,839	0%	0%	0%	0%	56%	36%	8%	None	Occupation-specific training	
*****	5	17-2041	Chemical Engineers	620	680	50	\$111,092	\$63,216	\$165,672	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	None	Occupation-specific training	Lic. Req.
*****	5	17-2141	Mechanical Engineers	840	980	70	\$106,840	\$61,284	\$162,474	1%	5%	9%	8%	57%	17%	3%	None	Occupation-specific training	Lic. Req.
****	4	45-2011	Agricultural Inspectors	90	100	10	\$57,041	\$41,351	\$75,506	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	None	Moderate-term on-the-job training	Lic. Req.
****	4	17-3011	Architectural and Civil Drafters	360	400	40	\$60,842	\$35,827	\$92,743	1%	15%	28%	27%	26%	3%	<1%	None	Occupation-specific training	Cert. Avail.
****	4	25-1042	Biological Science Teachers, Postsecondary	200	230	20	\$108,970	\$41,000	NA	<1%	2%	3%	2%	20%	32%	41%	None	Occupation-specific training	
****	4	19-4021	Biological Technicians	50	60	10	\$46,897	\$26,593	\$65,788	6%	17%	19%	10%	31%	10%	8%	None	Occupation-specific training	
****	4	19-4031	Chemical Technicians	560	610	60	\$60,119	\$33,648	\$89,789	3%	29%	23%	12%	26%	5%	3%	None	Moderate-term on-the-job training	
****	4	19-2031	Chemists	240	260	30	\$82,341	\$42,670	\$128,582	<1%	2%	3%	2%	59%	19%	16%	None	Occupation-specific training	
****	4	17-3022	Civil Engineering Technicians	620	700	60	\$49,520	\$31,902	\$73,299	4%	28%	29%	18%	18%	3%	<1%	None	Occupation-specific training	
****	4	17-2051	Civil Engineers	1,200	1,340	100	\$102,108	\$65,604	\$136,961	<1%	4%	5%	4%	61%	23%	4%	None	Occupation-specific training	Lic. Req.
****	4	49-9092	Commercial Divers	370	410	40	\$46,980	\$28,424	\$66,599	13%	47%	22%	8%	9%	1%	<1%	None	Moderate-term on-the-job training	
****	4	17-3023	Electrical and Electronics Engineering Technicians	380	410	30	\$59,077	\$39,102	\$88,399	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	None	Occupation-specific training	Lic. Req.
****	4	17-2081	Environmental Engineers	130	130	10	\$116,636	\$57,630	>\$187,199	<1%	4%	4%	2%	54%	32%	4%	None	Occupation-specific training	Lic. Req.
****	4	19-4041	Geological and Petroleum Technicians	330	330	40	\$69,691	\$34,087	\$104,197	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	No Data	None	Moderate-term on-the-job training	
****	4	19-2042	Geoscientists, Except Hydrologists and Geographers	400	390	40	\$141,590	\$63,888	>\$187,199	0%	0%	0%	0%	57%	35%	8%	None	Occupation-specific training	
****	4	17-2121	Marine Engineers and Naval Architects	110	120	10	\$120,199	\$76,541	\$156,248	3%	10%	6%	6%	55%	20%	<1%	None	Occupation-specific training	
****	4	17-3027	Mechanical Engineering Technicians	340	390	40	\$84,756	\$49,278	\$112,332	4%	29%	28%	19%	17%	2%	<1%	None	Occupation-specific training	Lic. Req.
****	4	11-9121	Natural Sciences Managers	80	90	10	\$106,042	\$56,700	\$148,786	<1%	2%	3%	2%	40%	33%	20%	5 years or more	Occupation-specific training	
****	4	51-8013	Power Plant Operators	90	110	10	\$80,137	\$49,184	\$106,748	2%	38%	28%	14%	16%	2%	<1%	None	Long-term on-the-job training	
****	4	27-3031	Public Relations Specialists	420	450	40	\$67,380	\$34,849	\$119,179	<1%	5%	7%	3%	61%	20%	3%	None	Occupation-specific training	
****	4	19-1013	Soil and Plant Scientists	30	40	0	\$63,317	\$35,173	\$91,032	0%	0%	0%	0%	62%	25%	14%	None	Occupation-specific training	
****	4	17-3031	Surveying and Mapping Technicians	180	190	20	\$38,947	\$22,623	\$60,439	5%	37%	34%	18%	6%	1%	<1%	None	Moderate-term on-the-job training	
****	4	17-1022	Surveyors	170	200	20	\$57,480	\$34,098	\$79,470	1%	6%	9%	3%	70%	9%	2%	Less than 5 years	Occupation-specific training	Lic. Req.
***	3	17-3012	Electrical and Electronics Drafters	60	70	10	\$63,407	\$35,167	\$103,155	1%	15%	28%	27%	25%	3%	<1%	None	Occupation-specific training	
***	3	17-3025	Environmental Engineering Technicians	120	130	10	\$92,311	\$50,128	\$128,025	4%	28%	29%	19%	18%	3%	<1%	None	Occupation-specific training	
**	2	51-8031	Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant and System Operators	620	600	50	\$38,852	\$24,523	\$55,617	5%	49%	26%	9%	10%	1%	<1%	None	Long-term on-the-job training	Lic. Req.
**	2	19-1031	Conservation Scientists	80	80	10	\$63,493	\$37,284	\$92,946								None	Occupation-specific training	
*	1	45-2093	Farmworkers, Farm, Ranch, and Aquacultural Animals	220	340	50	NA	NA	NA								None	Short-term on-the-job training	
		00-0000	Total, All Occupations	9,840	10,910	980													
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<div><div>⁵ 2026 Projected employment estimate includes new jobs and replacement needs of employers. ¹⁰ Annual job openings as a function of job separations (retirements + turnover) + new growth. ¹² 2018 Annual average wage for all workers in this occupation. ¹⁴ Average annual wage for lowest 10 percent of workers in this occupation. ¹⁶ Annual average wage of highest 10 percent of workers in this occupation. ¹⁷ Most Significant Source of Education- Researched and designated by the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) and enhanced by Louisiana Workforce Commission Long-Term Tng. & Exp. = Long-Term training and experience (more than 12 months of on-the-job training) Mod-term Tng. & Exp. = Moderate-term training and experience (1 to 12 months of combined on-the-job experience and informal training) Short-term Tng. & Exp. = Short-term training and experience (up to 1 month of on-the-job experience) ¹⁸ Louisiana Licensing Guide reference describing those occupations regulated by state boards, commissions or agencies. http://www.laworks.net/Downloads/LM/licensingguide.pdf NA - Wages from the 2018 Occupational Wage Survey were not available because of confidentiality, or only annual wages are available for most of the education related occupations.</div></div>																			